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### Latest From Europe.

By the arrival of the *Forwood* on Wednesday, we have intelligence from St. Louis to July 28; Liverpool, July 16; and San Francisco, Aug. 20.

The peace news is fully confirmed, but no further particulars have transpired beyond the fact that the Dukes of Tuscany and Modena return to their States. Letters from Paris note much discontent there concerning the terms of peace, although peace itself gave satisfaction. The Paris *Siecle* objects to Austrian influence still being suffered to remain in Italy, and calls for the expulsion of the petty Italian Princes, who are but confederates of Austria. Napoleon, on his arrival in France, would proceed direct to St. Cloud, deferring his official *entree* into Paris till he makes it at the head of the army. The Emperor and King of Sardinia, entered Turin on the 15, amid the enthusiastic acclamations of the people.

The Austrian correspondence officially announces the conditions of the treaty of peace thus:—

Austria and France will support the formation of an Italian Confederation. Lombardy, as far as the line of the Mincio, is to be given up. Mantua, Peschiera, and the whole of Venetia remains in Austrian possession. The Princes of Tuscany and Modena returned to their States. A universal amnesty is granted.

The Vienna correspondent of the *London Times* says, three applications were made by Napoleon to Austria before she would consent. Overtures were made direct by Napoleon for promoting the mediation by the neutrals.

The same correspondent says that the Pope was burnt in effigy at Milan, and unfriendly feelings existed between Napoleon and Victor Emanuel.

It was rumored that the Emperor and the Empress of the French would visit Vienna.

It is reported that the French army has commenced its countermarch.

It is thought probable that the dismissal of Cardinal Antonelli would follow this state of affairs.

It was rumored that General Garibaldi was about to issue a proclamation, and it was considered doubtful whether he would lay down his arms, up to the 11th inst.

The formation of the Hungarian Legion was proceeding prosperously, five thousand men having already joined.

A letter from Rome, dated the 8th, says that the Pope had sent an autograph letter

to Napoleon, announcing his determination to demand armed intervention from the Catholic powers.

Switzerland has ordered the disbandment of her troops called out during the war. Prussia has ordered her troops on the march to halt. The papers were mainly engaged in speculations upon the sudden conclusion of peace and its results.

The interview between the Emperors at Villa Franca is said to have lasted nearly three whole days.

The statement of the Bank of France for July shows a decrease of cash of over eleven millions of francs.

The Emperor of Austria has ordered an immediate cessation of the recruiting just commenced.

It is remarked that Sardinia, by accepting Lombardy without the fortress to defend it, has made herself the vassal of France, and that Italy has gained nothing, while the Emperor returns to Paris, nominally a conqueror, but in reality a baffled and dishonored man.

### Address of Victor Emanuel.

Victor Emanuel entered Milan on the 13th April, amid the enthusiastic plaudits of citizens.

Victor Emanuel had issued a proclamation to the people of Lombardy, announcing their annexation to Sardinia, according to their own desire many times expressed, and his determination to ameliorate their political condition. The following is the proclamation:

Heaven has blessed our arms! With our powerful magnanimous and valiant ally, the Emperor Napoleon, we arrive in a few days after victory upon victory upon the banks of the Mincio, and to-day we come back among you to tell you that heaven has granted your wishes. An armistice followed the preliminaries of peace. I assure the people of Lombardy of the independence according to your desire, many times expressed. You will henceforth form with an ancient state, one single and free family and take your destiny under my directions, and I hope to find in you that concurrence which the chief of a state needs in order to create a new administration. I tell you, people of Lombardy, to trust in your King; established on a solid basis, he will procure happiness for a new country which heaven has entrusted to his government.

### Excitement in France and Italy.

It was reported at Paris on Friday, that great agitation prevailed at Milan; that troubles had arisen at Venice; that Florence was disturbed, and that the Parisian population was indignant at the Emperor for failure to fulfil his promises.

### England.

In Commons, Lord Russell in answer to inquiry, said, that nothing was known or could be known as to the details of the treaty, until Napoleon returned to Paris, which would be about the 18th. Sir James Graham called attention to the formidable French fleets at Cherbourg and Brest, together with the gun boats for landing troops.

Russell said France had made no extraordinary preparations, therefore England had demanded no explanation.

The House of Commons passed to a second reading the bill abolishing church rates, by a vote of 263 to 193.

The Duke of Newcastle states that the Government did not intend renewing the licenses by which the Hudson Bay Company held their North American territories.

The Mediterranean Company had ordered a cable to connect Malta and Sicily, and it is expected to be laid in November.

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# THE BRITISH COLONIST.

A. DE COSMOS,.....EDITOR.

VICTORIA, V. I.

FRIDAY MORNING, AUG. 29.

## WILL OUR STREETS BE COMPLETED?

When winter sets in, our principal thoroughfares leading out of town will be knee deep in mud, if they are left unfinished. This should induce the authorities to exert themselves to have them made passable while the weather is fine. No excuse will be admitted as regards the non-completion of the causeway over the gully on Government Street. The money was in part donated by the citizens in the vicinity, and the balance was appropriated by the Legislature. But instead of making use of the funds for the specific purpose intended, they were diverted to make the useless excavations at the south end of the town. We hope the property owners, who have been thus humbugged, will make an immediate remonstrance on the subject, and urge on its completion at once. Besides this, Government st., from Johnson to the north end of the town, Yates st., from Bayley's corner to the suburbs, and Fort street from Government to the suburbs require considerable improvement to render them passable for pedestrians or vehicles in the winter. If something is not done at once by the government, the citizens themselves should take the matter in hand and render them passable by voluntary contributions. The funds for making these streets were to be appropriated from the License fund of 1859, That being paid quarterly instead of annually in advance the government excuses itself for not doing the work. The work must be done however. Then why cannot the government issue scrip payable from the License Fund as soon as it is lodged in the treasury? There are plenty who will accept the contract on this condition, and the consequence will be our principal avenues will be made passable.

**SAN JUAN MEETING.**—A very numerous and highly respectable meeting of the British residents of Victoria, was held last evening at the Court House, to take into consideration the propriety of memorializing Her Majesty's Government, as regards maintaining our rights to San Juan. A. Waddington, Esq., was called to the chair, and C. B. Young, Esq., appointed Secretary. Speeches were made by Messrs. S. Franklin, G. I. Wight, Ring, and H. C. Jones, and by the Revs. Messrs. Evans, and Clark. A good deal of enthusiasm was manifested, and a memorial which was submitted to the meeting, after some discussion, was adopted. Our limited space precludes a more extended notice of the eloquent and patriotic speeches made on the occasion.

**WEST COAST.**—From Capt. McKay, who is recently from the West Coast, we learn that Sheewish, principal chief of the Nootka Indians, was killed by the Matchlatt tribe, about 14 days ago. He was up the Sound prospecting for coal, when the Matchlatts enticed him to enter a house, and then assassinated him. Having been a great friend to the whites who frequent the coast, his death is considered a serious loss. According to an Indian custom, on the death of a great chief, no sea-otter will be taken for the next five years.

**NOTICE.**—The San Juan Memorial lies at the office of Messrs. S. Franklin & Co., Yates Street, where all British residents are invited to call and sign it at once, as it is to be forwarded to England by the *Forwood* to-morrow at 9, a. m.

GOVERNOR DOUGLAS, of Vancouver Island, we are pleased to notice, in his efforts to crush the *British Colonist*, of Victoria, has only succeeded in strengthening and giving to it more life and vigor, and a greater opportunity to assail his autocratical attempts to govern the colony according to his own mere will. The *Colonist* is now published tri-weekly, and it handles His Excellency without gloves, he having, as it were, taken upon himself the functions of Governor, Executive, and Legislature. A perusal of the *Colonist* calls one's mind back to the state of this Province years ago, when we were ruled by a family compact, and the public offices were considered heir looms or heritages in certain families, and when it was almost treason for any person outside the charmed circle to aspire to fill any position remunerative and important. The *Colonist* keeps up its crusade against the same system in British Columbia, which has already twined itself around the neck of the body politic, and is bearing down the people in their efforts to take advantage of the progressive spirit of the age. We are pleased to notice that the people have come out manfully to sustain the *Colonist* in its efforts to liberalize the institutions and Government of the new colony on the Pacific.—St. John, N. B. *Globe*, July 12.

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Not anticipating any trouble with the United States Government myself, still as the gentlemen of the House Assembly observe a strict corps law, and not for parade but for protection against any Indian outbreak, trust upon us by outside whiskey peddlars. Also as good citizens they would materially assist our present police force and as you observe, it would be men to know one another quicker and better, who have emigrated here from so many different parts of the globe. New Zealand and Africa especially have *quantum* and represented. The Registry Bill will show, when made, the law who are the men and who are the striped pigs roasting where they are not wanted.

Gentlemen, if you do not want your throat scientifically cut, don't be caught napping; there are plenty of Russian Spies here doing their work; they are being paid for building up every thing British, and this South end of the Island is to be the next place on the list to be snatched upon. The men alluded to as spies can be found patching up old boats, living with squaws to sell whiskey to Indians, hunting for a precarious living, sheltering themselves during the summer months in brush sheds; persuading soldiers, and sailors to desert their post—some having long experience in carrying freight—licenses being granted to them without requiring whether they are British subjects or not, so the great injury and damage of the British and Colonial trade. Our Harbor Master from long experience as Shipping Master in San Francisco, ought to be aware that he must be an American citizen to be Captain of a coast or boat plying for hire in American waters. Let no man coast or have license who is not a subject of the government; hence for the goose to get the sauce for the cat, and to depend on the rights of Britons and colonists and they will attend to the call of duty.

U. S. The right men must be in the right place.—*Gen. Douglas's Speech.*

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- 50 casks American Brandy;
- 25 bbls Alsop & Sons' Barton Ale;
- 50 bbls Oregon Cider;

150 cases Swain and Bond's Old Tom;

300 cases London Duck Cognac Brandy;

- 25 cases London Club House Gin;
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- 50 " Absinth Salse;
- 50 " Vermouth Rivoire;
- 50 " Scotch Whiskey, Robt Thin;

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- 50 " John Durand Hatt Sauterne;
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- 10 " Crown Brand Wine;

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beg to intimate that they have established a Branch of their Business at CAMOES, near Upper Fraser, that they have

### A TRAIN OF MULES.

On the Portage between the Lilloette and Anderson Lakes and are prepared to

### Receive, Store, and Forward

Goods to the upper country at moderate terms. They have added to their Store at Douglas, which being by the water's side, and some distance from any other building, lessens the danger of fire, and avoids all expense of portage.

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### RECEIVED per late arrivals, and for sale by the undersigned:

- 100 bbls Jeffrey's Ale, in stone Jugs;
- Octaves French Brandy;
- Octaves Fixed Brandy;
- 20 cases Claret;
- Port and Cherry in 1 doz cases;
- Harston's Bitters, do do
- Genuine Cherry Brandy do
- French Brandy, do

JANION & GREEN.

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Victoria, Aug. 16, 1859.

### IMPROVED FARMING STOCK.

RECEIVED by late arrivals, and for sale by the undersigned—

- 30 Heifers;
- 10 Cows and Calves;
- 3 Bulls;
- 1 ALSO
- 12 working Oxen;
- 4 Packing Oxen;
- 100 Best Cattle;
- 300 Mutter Sheep.

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Victoria, Aug. 16, 1859.

### RICE.

TWELVE Hundred Bags East India

Rice, re-packed for this market, in small bags. For sale by

JANION & GREEN.

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Victoria, Aug. 16, 1859.

### A FEW Bales for sale by

JANION & GREEN.





A few days since one of the Metropolitan cars was stopped for the purpose of taking up an elderly lady and a sickly looking girl. In the car were sixteen females, eight on each side and the seats will carry twelve. Every inch of room seemed occupied, for the passengers were fashionably dressed, and their skirts expanded like peacock's tails. No one offered the old lady a seat, or made room for her, or seemed to care whether she was tired or rested. For a moment the old lady scanned the faces of the females beside her, and then smiled grimly at the want of courtesy which characterizes the females of the present age.

"I say you," exclaimed the old lady nudging the knee of the nearest female, and pointing to the little girl.

"Did you speak to me?" demanded the astonished lady, on her dignity immediately.

"Why, yes, I want to know if you would believe this little girl just come from the Ship-Fever Hospital, at Deer Island?"

Ten hands delicately gloved, were raised toward the bell-strap, and ten voices were shrilly raised for the car to stop, and in less than ten minutes the old lady and the little girl had the vehicle to themselves.

"Well I declare" exclaimed the old lady, "I forgot to tell 'em that there warn't any patients there sick of the fever. I'll let 'em know the next time we meet. Take a seat there, dear, and make yourself at home."

The conductor was somewhat surprised on that trip.

A gentleman once introduced his son to Rowland Hill, by letter as a youth of great promise, and likely to do honor to the University of which he was a member: "but he is shy," added the father, "and I fear buries his talents in a napkin." A short time afterwards the parent, anxious for his opinion, inquired what he thought of his son.

"I have shaken the napkin," said Rowland, "at all the corners, and there is nothing in it."

A Brazilian introduction is—"This is my friend; if he steals anything, I am accountable for it"

Mr. Jones writes to a friend, and closes by saying, "I am glad to be able to say that my wife is recovering slowly."

**NATHAN POINTER,**  
Importer and Dealer in  
MESSRS. DAVIS & JONES' PATENT

## SHIRTS!

Of New York,  
AND L. ATKINSON'S Improved SHOULDER SEAM  
PATTERN SHIRTS, of Philadelphia.

Just received, 75 doz Ladies' and Gents' pure Baltic Stockings and Hose, white and colored Marseilles Shirts, Derby and Saxony Wool Shirts and Drawers. Also, a fine lot of Baltic Shirts.

**ON YATES STREET,**  
VICTORIA, V. I.

Is now prepared to offer the largest and best assortment of

**Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods**

Ever exhibited in Victoria, comprising all the latest styles of the celebrated Davis & Jones superfine Patent

**WHITE and COLORED SHIRTS.**  
Is receiving by every steamer those beautiful Byron shirts, of all sizes, running from 13 to 30 inches around the neck.

**Ladies and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves.**  
"We Study to Please."

Business hours from 6 A. M. to 10½ P. M.

**LIVERY STABLE**

Waddington Alley, between Johnson and Yates Streets  
**SADDLE HORSES and Buggies** constantly on hand. Horses taken on Livery at reasonable terms. WANTED Immediately, Ten good Faddle Horses.

**A. J. BRUNN,**

**DRAPER and TAILOR,** is constantly receiving English and French Cloths and Cassimeres. Also, superior quality of Tailors' Trimmings, which enables him to make Gents' Garments in the latest fashions. Parties furnishing their own material, or garments of old fashion, can have them made in the latest style at reasonable prices. Particular attention will be given to repairing.

Yates st., next to Wells, Fargo & Co's Express Office.  
Eg. A Good Tailor Wanted.

**VICTORIA BAKERY,**

Waddington, near Yates st.

**Samuel Nesbitt, Proprietor.**

**THE PUBLIC ARE RESPECTFULLY** informed that at this shop, they will find a superior **Bread, Pies and Cakes of every variety.**

All orders for **WEDDINGS**, and other **PARTIES**, promptly received and punctually attended to.  
SAUL NESBITT.

## BUSINESS CARDS.

R. C. JANION, }  
Liverpool, }  
{ JANION, GREEN & CO.,  
{ Hongkong, San Francisco and Islands

**JANION & GREEN,**

**COMMISSION MERCHANTS.**  
Foot of Johnson Street near the Bridge.  
VICTORIA V. I.

**W. MONTGOMERY,**  
**Auctioneer and Commission Merchant,**  
Wharf Street, between Yates and Fort Streets.

Regular Sale Days, **TUESDAYS AND SATURDAYS.**  
8.30-11 a.m.

**SOUTHGATE & MITCHELL,**  
**COMMISSION MERCHANTS**  
Albert Wharf,  
VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND.

And Battery street, San Francisco, California.

**SELM FRANKLIN & CO.,**  
**AUCTIONEERS AND LAND AGENTS,**  
Yates street, Victoria.

**Town Lots in Victoria and Esquimalt,**  
And Farming Lands disposed of at Public and Private Sale.

**Surveys, Plans, Deeds, Mortgages, and Agreements**

Prepared by competent parties attached to the office.  
**Merchandise, Household Furniture, &c.**

Disposed of.

**Advances made on Consignments**

**Gold Dust Purchased.**

**SAMUEL PRICE & CO.,**  
**COMMISSION MERCHANTS,**

Corner of Wharf and Johnson sts.,

VICTORIA, V. I.

**W. J. ARMSTRONG & BRO.,**

Have removed to their

**New Store,**  
ON COLUMBIA STREET.

Near the Custom House, New Westminster.

They have constantly on hand a large

stock of

Groceries, Provisions, Hardware, Crockery,

Ware, Paints, Oils, Farming Imple-

ments, Mining Tools, Laides' and

Gents' Boots and

Shoes, &c., &c.

Consignments and Commission business promptly

attended to.

**COLONIAL**

Cor Government and Johnston sts.,

**VICTORIA, V. I.**

**XX & XXX Ale, Porter and Lager Beer**

Guaranteed superior in quality to any manufactured

in the Pacific coast.

**ARTHUR BUNSTER.**

N. B.—Orders solicited from all points on Fraser River,

Washington Territory and Oregon, and promptly at-

tended to.

**PIONEER**

**MINERAL WATER WORKS,**

Humboldt st., south side.

**THE PROPRIETORS of this establish-**

ment are now prepared to supply their customers

with Soda Water, Sarsaparilla and Mineral Waters,

of the best quality.

Orders from Washington Territory or British Colum-

bia, promptly attended to.

**PHILLIPS & CO.**

**VICTORIA BREWERY.**

**Ale and Lager Beer!**

Agency on Yates st., between Wharf and Government.

**A LARGE STOCK constantly on hand.**

Orders filled for Queenborough, and every other

town on Fraser river.

Beers brewed in any part of the town of Victoria

FREE OF CHARGE.

**J. D. CARROLL, Sole Agent.**

**WILLIAM ZELNER,**

Government street, between Yates and Johnson sts.

**IS CONSTANTLY IN RECEIPT OF**

**FOREIGN and DOMESTIC DRUGS, CHEMICALS**

**PERFUMERY, FANCY and TOILET ARTICLES.**

Full supply of all the **PATENT MEDICINES.**

Foreign Bills of Exchange in sums to suit, and at

current rates, on New York and London.

Pay the highest price for Gold Dust.

Make advances on Gold Dust for Assay or Coinage in

San Francisco.

Purchase Navy Bills and Bills on London.

**MACDONALD & CO.**

Office on Yates Street.

**SELL Checks at sight on TALLANT &**

**WINE, Bankers, San Francisco, AT PAR.**

Foreign Bills of Exchange in sums to suit, and at

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**10 PER CENT LANGLEY SCRIP.**

**HOLDERS will find it to their advantage to call**

on **J. A. McCREA, Auctioneer**

on Victoria June 15-17

## CLOTHING!

**N. MOORE, & CO.,**  
Yates street,  
VICTORIA.

Are regularly receiving, and have constantly on hand

a good assortment of Gents'

**FINE DRESS FROCK COATS,**

**Pantaloon and Vests,**

**LINEN and LINEN BOSOM PATENT**

**White Shirts!**

Linen, Cambric and Silk Handkerchiefs,

**STOCKS and NECK TIES,**

**The Genuine Alexandre Kid & Silk Gloves,**

San Francisco made SILK HATS,

Plain and Fancy Linen and Duck

**SUMMER COATS,**

Cassimere and Tweed Business Coats,

Merino and Saxony Undershirts

and Drawers, Plain and

Fancy Overshirts,

**TURKISH BATH TOWELS,**

**HOSIERY,**

**In all Sizes for Ladies and Children,**

together with a full line of Straw and Felt Hats, Cloth

Caps, Suspenders, Shirt Collars, &c., all of which we offer

at the **LOWEST MARKET PRICE FOR CASH.**

**N. MOORE & CO.**

**ROOMS and OFFICES over the Store TO LET.**

**GEO. T. SEYMOUR,**

Victoria. } { **OTIS S. PIERCE,**

**PIERCE & SEYMOUR,**

North-west corner of Yates and Douglas streets,

**Victoria,**

**FURNITURE**

**DEALERS, AND**

**Bedding Manufacturers,**

**ARE** in regular receipt of assorted Fur-

niture of substantial quality, which they offer at

reasonable rates, in part consisting of

**BUCKLEHEADS,** all sizes; Bureaus, plain and scroll front;

Tables, assorted sizes; Chairs, cane and wood seat,

and office chairs; Rockers, cane seat and back; Looking

Glasses; Cots, and other articles of immediate necessity.

MR. PIERCE—recently of J. & O. S. Pierce, of San

Francisco—now residing there, will give his attention

to the filling of special orders for any style of Furniture,

thereby saving time, trouble and expense, to parties

here.

**PULU! PULU!!**

Of this particular material for Bedding, we have an

ample stock on hand, which we offer either in the bale

or in Bedding, at steady prices. It is universally con-

ceded to be equal to feathers, and better than curled

hair for this climate, at half the price of either. Our

arrangements with the sole importer of it for California,

are such that we are enabled to sell Lower than it can

be had elsewhere. Straw Mattresses, wholesale and

retail. Curled Hair do, made to order.

**WHARFAGE.**

**WHARFAGE,** from this time forward,

at Esquimalt, will be Fifty Cents per Ton, on

freight landed from steamers and sailing vessels.

**W. SELLECK.**

**TO LET.**

**LOT NO. 2 BLOK 6,** in Queenborough.

It is in the centre of the town, and a desirable loca-

tion for business. Also—Lot 15, Block 1, with free

water front.

Apply to **C. McK. SMITH,** Queenborough or

to **A. DE COSMOS,**

**British Colonist Office.**

**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.**

**I** am undersigned at the old stand, Gov-

ernment street, between Yates and Johnson sts.,

tenders his thanks to his numerous customers for the

Bernal share of patronage extended to him in his

business, and takes this opportunity to assure them that

nothing shall be wanting on his part to insure a continu-

ance of their favours. He has just added to his already

large stock of **IRON MONGERY,** Stoves, Tin and sheet

iron, Glass and Crockery ware, and proposes to offer to

the public every article in his line of business at a small

advance on first cost.

Purchasers desiring anything connected with the

above business, are invited to try his establishment,

which he flatters himself will compare favorably with

any other on the Pacific coast.

**MARTIN FRAG.**

Jan 22 Victoria, and 43 Clay st., San Francisco.

**BUILDING MATERIALS.**

**RECEIVED** per Barks Leonesa and Na-

hunkear, from San Francisco

1, 1½ and 1¾ inch planed Mendocino Redwood

1, 1½ and 1¾ inch rough do do

¾ inch planed Redwood Siding.

100 bbls Santa Cruz Lime.

20 bbls Rosebrand Cement.

50 thousand California Bricks.

20 thousand English Building Brick.

8 inches 8.5, 9.5, 10.5, 11.5, 12.5, 13.5.

Doors 6 ft 6 inches by 2 ft 6 in. 5 ft 8 in. by 2 ft 6 in.

6 ft 10½ in. by 2 ft 10 in. 3 ft 7 in. by 2 ft 10 in.

Sash Doors 2 ft 8 in. by 6 ft 8 in. and 1½ in. thick.

For sale by **SAM. PRICE & CO.**

Victoria, V. I. July 21, 1859.

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**100**  
**Additional Men**  
Can be accommodated with  
**BOARD AND LODGINGS**  
—AT THE—  
**UNION HOTEL**  
Government street,  
**VICTORIA, V. I.,**

Which House is now conducted on the same principle as

**THE WHAT CHEER HOUSE**

Of San Francisco.

**THE TABLE,** which speaks for itself, will be supplied

with every delicacy.

**BOARD, per DAY, - - - \$1.00**

**NEW BEDS,** Pulu Mattresses, single and double

Rooms, at \$1 and \$2 per Week.

**THE NEW WING** to the above House has been most

tastefully fitted up with

**WASH AND BATH ROOM.**

Also, a select Private

**READING ROOM.**